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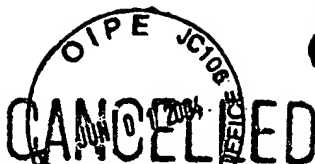
X In the matter of Patent Number 6,971,009 issued November 29, 2005, a careful check of the same against the file of the attorney shows errors in the patent chargeable to the Office, as shown on the attached Certificate of Correction.

Note that a reference that was cited by Applicant, i.e. Patent No. 6,085,976, was not listed on the front page of the patent. Applicant has attached a copy of the List of Patents and Publications submitted to the Examiner, showing that the Examiner considered and initialed this reference. Therefore, Patent No. 6,085,976 should be added to the U.S. Patent Documents section of the References Cited on the front page of the patent.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the front page of the application, under References Cited, U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS, please insert the following:

--6,085,976 07/2000 Sehr 235/384--

Column 3, line 44, please delete "riot" and insert --not--.

Column 14, line 41, please delete "to a is" and insert --to a--.

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